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Title ON-THE-FLY REDUNDANCY OPERATION IN THE SYNCHRONOUS DISK ARRAY CONTROLLER

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	1.		Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17) Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)	6.	Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)							
`	2.		Specification [Total Pages 35] preferred arrangement set forth below)	7.	Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)							
		-	Descriptive title of the Invention		a. Computer Readable Copy							
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ı		-	Reference to Microfiche Appendix		c. Statement verifying identity of above copies.							
			Background of the Invention		ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS							
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	<u> </u> c:			11.	English Translation Document (if applicable) Information Disclosure Copies of IDS							
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Deposit Account Stoel Rives LLP	139	130	139	130	Non-English specification			
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1. BASIC FILING FEE	118	1,360	218	680	Extension for reply within fourth month			
Large Entity Small Entity	128	1,850	228	925	Extension for reply within fifth month			
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101 760 201 380 Utility filing fee 380	120	300	220	150	Filing a brief in support of an appeal			
106 310 206 155 Design filing fee	121	260	221	130	Request for oral hearing			
107 480 207 240 Plant filing fee	138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding			
108 760 208 380 Reissue filing fee	140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable			
114 150 214 75 Provisional filing fee	141	1,210	241	605	Petition to revive - unintentional			
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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES	143	430	243	215	Design issue fee			
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Claims below Fee Paid	122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner			
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Multiple Dependent ** or number previously paid, if greater, For Reissues, see below	581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	40		
Large Entity Small Entity	146	760	246	380	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))			
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103 18 203 9 Claims in excess of 20					examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	L		
102 78 202 39 Independent claims in excess of 3								
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